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INTERNATIONAL SEARCH REPORT

(PCT Article 18 and Rules 43 and 44)

Applicant's or agent's file reference ROG001	<div style="display: flex; justify-content: space-between;"><div>FOR FURTHER ACTION</div><div>see Form PCT/ISA/220 as well as, where applicable, item 5 below.</div></div>
International application No. PCT/NZ2004/000243	<div style="display: flex; justify-content: space-between;"><div>International filing date (<i>day/month/year</i>) 6 October 2004</div><div>(Earliest) Priority Date (<i>day/month/year</i>) 6 October 2003</div></div>
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This international search report has been prepared by this International Searching Authority and is transmitted to the applicant according to Article 18. A copy is being transmitted to the International Bureau.

This international search report consists of a total of **5** sheets.

☐ It is also accompanied by a copy of each prior art document cited in this report.

1. Basis of the report

- a. With regard to the **language**, the international search was carried out on the basis of the international application in the language in which it was filed, unless otherwise indicated under this item.

☐ The international search was carried out on the basis of a translation of the international application furnished to this Authority (Rule 23.1(b)).

- b. ☐ With regard to any **nucleotide and/or amino acid sequence** disclosed in the international application, see Box No. I.

2. ☐ **Certain claims were found unsearchable** (See Box No. II).

3. ☐ **Unity of invention is lacking** (See Box No. III).

4. With regard to the **title**,

☒ the text is approved as submitted by the applicant.

☐ the text has been established by this Authority to read as follows:

5. With regard to the **abstract**,

☐ the text is approved as submitted by the applicant.

☒ the text has been established, according to Rule 38.2(b), by this Authority as it appears in Box No. IV. The applicant may, within one month from the date of mailing of this international search report, submit comments to this Authority.

6. With regard to the **drawings**,

- a. the figure of the **drawings** to be published with the abstract is Figure No. **1**

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☐ as selected by this Authority, because this figure better characterizes the invention.

- b. ☐ none of the figures is to be published with the abstract.

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Box No. IV Text of the Abstract (Continuation of item 5 of the first sheet)

This invention relates to a computer program for displaying information in the form of a display window during a downtime when a computer user is waiting for a computer to complete processing tasks, and referred to herein as a wait event, the program including the steps of detecting a wait event and activating an information datafile or information (a) or activating the program manually by the user; displaying information on a computer monitor in the form of data and/or graphics and/or video and/or audio material (b); and suspending the program when the wait event has ended or when suspended manually by the user (c), such suspension resulting in the disappearance of the display window.

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A. CLASSIFICATION OF SUBJECT MATTER

Int. Cl. ⁷: G06F 17/30

According to International Patent Classification (IPC) or to both national classification and IPC

B. FIELDS SEARCHED

Minimum documentation searched (classification system followed by classification symbols)

Documentation searched other than minimum documentation to the extent that such documents are included in the fields searched

Electronic data base consulted during the international search (name of data base and, where practicable, search terms used)

DWPI, USPTO, PCT (news, push, feed, RSS, RDF, aggregate, syndication, busy, idle, inactivity, waiting, interstitial, screen saver, etc.)

C. DOCUMENTS CONSIDERED TO BE RELEVANT

Category*	Citation of document, with indication, where appropriate, of the relevant passages	Relevant to claim No.
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Y	<i>RSS 2.0</i> specification, as archived August 2003 http://web.archive.org/web/20030801072832/blogs.law.harvard.edu/tech/rss	8-11

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Information on patent family members

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WO	0055748	AU	35243/00	EP	1177505	US	6237022
US	2002052925	NONE					
WO	0030003	AU	17209/00	US	6442529		
US	2001044846	US	6237039	US	6308202	US	6317780
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US	2002026349	CA	2177441	EP	0749081	JP	9269923
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US	2003050834	NONE					
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